

**15A NCAC 18A .1610 TOILET: HANDWASHING: AND BATHING FACILITIES**

(a) All residential care facilities shall provide toilet, handwashing, and bathing facilities that are available for use by residents and employees. These facilities shall be kept clean and in good repair.

(b) All hand sinks and baths shall be supplied with hot and cold running water through mixing devices. The residential care facility shall provide each resident with soap and individual hand-drying towels. These hand-drying towels will be stored separately after being used.

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